

REMARKS

Claims 1-20 were presented in this application. Claims 1, 2 and 4-20 stand rejected. Claim 3 stands objected to. Claims 10-14 are cancelled without prejudice to pursue the subject matter contained therein in a separate application. Claims 2 and 15 are amended. Claims 1-9 and 15-20 remain pending in the application.

Claims 10-14 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(b) as being anticipated by applicant's admitted prior art (AAPA). Claims 10-14 have been cancelled without prejudice.

Claims 15-20 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(b) as being anticipated by Williams. Claim 15 has been amended to include a recorder as part of the combination. Claim 15 and each of its dependent claims are therefore believed to be in condition for allowance.

Claim 2 stands rejected under 35 U.S.C. 101 as claiming the same invention as that of claim 1 of prior U.S. Patent No. 6,648,197. This is a double patenting rejection. Claim 2 has been amended as an independent claim to recite the limitations of claim 1 and include the limitations of dependent claim 3. Claim 3 was objected to but said to be allowable if rewritten in independent form. Claim 2 is therefore believed to be in condition for allowance.

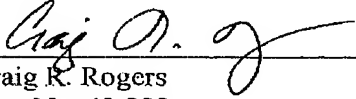
Claims 1 and 4-9 stand rejected under the judicially created doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting. A terminal disclaimer is submitted herewith. The obviousness-type double patenting rejection is therefore believed to be overcome.

Claim 3 was objected to as being dependent upon a rejected base claim, but would be allowable if rewritten in independent form including all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims. Claim 1 is now believed to be allowable for the reasons stated above. Claim 3 is therefore believed to be in condition for allowance.

For the foregoing reasons, reconsideration and allowance of claims 1-9 and 15-20 of the application as amended is solicited. The Examiner is encouraged to telephone the undersigned at (503) 222-3613 if it appears that an interview would be helpful in advancing the case.

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